## **ROBERT A. NIXON**

Robert A. Nixon was appointed Director of Government Affairs for the New Jersey State Policemen's Benevolent Association, New Jersey's largest law enforcement union, in February 2008. He had also served as a lobbyist and public affairs advisor with New Jersey's largest government relations firm, Princeton Public Affairs Group, for 15 years. As the lobbyist for the State PBA, he has been responsible for the drafting and passage of several laws to expand law enforcement officer benefits and to protect officer due process and employment rights. Mr. Nixon is also President of State House Strategies, a public affairs consulting firm. He is currently a member of the Governor's Firearms Task Force.

He received a Masters of Governmental Administration from the University of Pennsylvania's Fels Institute of Government and a B.A. in Politics from Saint Joseph's University. Mr. Nixon serves as an Adjunct Professor at both Saint Joseph's University and at the Fels Institute of Government where he teaches American Government, Lobbying and Practical Politics.